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Applicants:

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Application No.:

09/653,761

Group:

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Filed:

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E. Campbell

For:

Arrays and Photolithographic Means for Their Manufacture

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Third Preliminary Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

[ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.

[ ] A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| (COL. 1)                                  | (COL. 2)                         | (COL. 3)                        |
|---|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR |
| TOTAL                                     | 41                               | MINUS * 41                      |
| INDEP                                     | 5                                | MINUS ** 5                      |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM |                                  |                                 |
|   |                                  | PRESENT EXTRA                   |
|   |                                  | 0                               |
|   |                                  | 0                               |

\* not fewer than 20  
\*\* not fewer than 3

| SMALL ENTITY |            |
|--------------|------------|
| RATE         | ADDIT. FEE |
| X \$9        | \$         |
| X \$42       | \$         |
| + \$140      | \$         |

TOTAL = \$ 0

| OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY |            |
|-------------------------|------------|
| RATE                    | ADDIT. FEE |
| X \$18                  | \$ 0       |
| X \$84                  | \$ 0       |
| + \$280                 | \$ 0       |

TOTAL = \$ 0

Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for the following fees:

|                          |   |    |          |
|--------------------------|---|----|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Petition for [            ] month Extension of Time | \$ | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Amendment Fee                                       | \$ | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other Fees:   |    |          |
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|                          | _____   | \$ | _____    |
|                          | TOTAL:  | \$ | <u>0</u> |

A check is enclosed in payment of the following fees:

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|                          | _____   | \$ | _____    |
|                          | TOTAL:  | \$ | <u>0</u> |

☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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